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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATIONS

Please add the following new paragraph after [13]:

a 1 [13.1] Figure 8 shows a method of assembling the door on a vehicle body.

Please replace paragraph [78] with the following amended paragraph:

a 2 [78] All of those components as shown in figure 5 can be assembled together to form a door subassembly 76 (see Figure 6). As shown in Figure 8, [[T]]this can be carried out at a door manufacturers assembly line 80 (also known herein as a first assembly line).

Please replace paragraph [79] with the following amended paragraph:

a 3 [79] The door outer panel 38 can be provided at the car manufacturers assembly line 82 (also known herein as a second assembly line) wherein it can be allocated to a specific car body shell 84 along with other doors and a hood and trunk. This set of components can then all be painted simultaneously with paint 86 from the same batch to ensure uniform color.

Please replace paragraph [80] with the following amended paragraph:

a 4 [80] The door assembly 76 can then be transported from the door assembly line 80 to the vehicle assembly line 82 where the outer panel 38 can be assembled onto the door 76 and the door 76 can be assembled onto the associated vehicle. Note that the order in which the door outer skin is assembled on to the door and the door is assembled onto the associated vehicle can be carried out in either order.

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